

22850

### United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Vingnia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.

FIRST NAMED APPLICANT

ATTY, DOCKET NO.

10/589,981

Kiyoshi Shimizu

295058US0PCT

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

PCT/JP05/02610

I.A. FILING DATE

PRIORITY DATE

02/18/2005

02/20/2004

**CONFIRMATION NO. 2451** 

371 FORMALITIES LETTER

OC000000023387276

1940 DUKE STREET ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314

Date Mailed: 04/16/2007

## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

Copy of the International Application filed on 08/18/2006

OBLON, SPIVAK, MCCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 08/18/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 11/20/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 08/18/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/18/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 08/18/2006
- Specification filed on 08/18/2006
- Claims filed on 08/18/2006
- Abstracts filed on 08/18/2006

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$2000 for a Large Entity:

• The specification and drawings contain more than 100 pages. Applicant owes \$2000 for 353 pages in excess of 100 pages for a non-small entity.

# ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

Registered users of EFS-Web may alternatively submit their reply to this notice via EFS-Web. https://sportal.uspto.gov/authenticate/AuthenticateUserLocalEPF.html

For more information about EFS-Web please call the USPTO Electronic Business Center at **1-866-217-9197** or visit our website at <a href="http://www.uspto.gov/ebc.">http://www.uspto.gov/ebc.</a>

If you are not using EFS-Web to submit your reply, you must include a copy of this notice.

WINSTON M ALVARADO

Telephone: (703) 308-9140 EXT 206

#### PART 2 - OFFICE COPY

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/589,981	PCT/JP05/02610	295058US0PCT

FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice)